

## Message Text

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ACTION NEA-10

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P 090440Z MAY 77  
FM AMEMBASSY KABUL  
TO USIA WASHDC PRIORITY  
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EO 11652: NA  
SUBJECT: OFFICIAL VISIT OF AFGHAN MINISTER OF HEALTH

REF: KABUL 2872-C (FOR STATE)

1. MINISTER OF HEALTH ABDULLAH OMAR, ACCOMPANIED BY MINISTRY'S  
PRES. FOR PUBLIC RELATIONS, DR. ABDUL RAUF ROSHAN, WILL MAKE  
OFFICIAL VISIT U.S. MAY 10-28 1977. APPRECIATE WIRELESS FILE,  
B/W STILL PHOTO AND VOA COVERAGE AS POSSIBLE.

2. OMAR ARRIVES DULLES 1530 MAY 10 VIA TWA 891. ARRANGEMENTS  
IN U.S. HANDLED BY MS. BARBARA TURNER, NEAR EAST TECHNICAL  
BUREAU, USAID. BACKGROUND AND GUIDANCE AVAILABLE REFTEL.

3. ACCORDING TO TENTATIVE SCHEDULE AVAILABLE HERE, FOLLOWING  
SEGMENTS OMAR SCHEDULE APPEAR BEST SUITED FOR COVERAGE:

MAY 11- APPOINTMENT WITH USAID ADMINISTRATOR GULLIGAN;  
MAY 12- VISIT WITH ASST. SEC. HEALTH FORDHAM;  
MAY 12- CALL ON DR. BOURNE, WHITE HOUSE, FOR DISCUSSION ON  
NARCOTICS.  
MAY 19-20- VISIT TO UNIV. NORTH CAROLINA, CHAPEL HISS,  
N.C. INCLUDING REMARKS BY OMAR AT SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH.  
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MAY 25-MIN. OMAR WILL SEE SIX AFGHAN NURSES IN TRAINING  
AT UNIV. OF CALIFORNIA AT SANTA CRUZ. SIDEBAR ON STUDENTS  
DESIRABLE.

4. ADVISE EXTENT OF COVERAGE POSSIBLE PLUS ESTIMATE OF COST  
TO POST.  
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